

INTERIM REPORT RACE MEETING 3 – PEOPLE'S TURF PLC

DATE:	Saturday, 18 May 2024		
TRACK:	Good		
PENETROMETER	2.8		
WEATHER:	Sunny		
FALSE RAILS:	2.75m from 1200m to home turn and 1.3m in final straight		
	Mr. R. M. Khan (Chairperson)		
	Mr. T.S. Mahendher		
STEWARDS	Mr. S. Thakan		
PANEL:	Mr. K. Lingen		
	Mr. A. Mohedeen		
	Mr. D. Labelle (In attendance)		
	Starters on duty:	Mr. J. P. Aumaitre	
	Clerk of Scales on duty:	Mr. R. Hemraze	
	Judge on duty:	Mrs A. Ragudu	
RACEDAY	Inquiry Reporter on duty:	Mrs D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon	
OFFICIALS:	Betting Analyst:	Ms K. Hurboseea	
	Farrier on duty:	Mr. N. Keble	
	Specimen Collector on duty:	Mr. V. Seebhurnah	
	Course Medical Doctors on duty:	Dr G. Balloo & Dr S. Chataroo	
	Veterinary Surgeon:	Dr. M. C. Domaingue	



Race 1 - 12:15 - «La Journée Internationale Des Familles» Cup - [0 - 20] - 1365m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12h15.30

General

1. Prior to the commencement of this race, the instructions for all riders were taken by the Stipendiary Stewards. In this regard, each of the instructions matched the racing pattern of the horses except for PROFICIENT (K. Ramsamy) whereby Asistant Trainer U. Nagadoo advised the Stipendiary Stewards that Jockey K. Ramsamy will not bounce the horse to lead and will be handy with pace and HIGH VOLTAGE (S. Rama) where Trainer A. Sewdyal advised that the Jockey S. Rama will ride the horse with the intention to lead if it jumps well. These changes of tactic were disseminated to the public.

Starting Reports

- 1. GRAND FINALE (M. Sonaram) brushed the gates leaving the stalls.
- 2. HIGH VOLTAGE (S. Rama) was slow.

Stewards Reports

- 1. GRAND FINALE (M. Sonaram) overraced during most part of the running and jumped the crossings.
- 2. Jockey N. Marday (CHIEF RAFEEF) reported that his horse dropped the bit near the 600m.
- 3. LOVE ME AGAIN (R. Joorawon) was hanging in, in the straight and in trying to correct his mount, Jockey R. Joorawon lost his balance in the concluding stages of the race. In view of the hanging in of LOVE ME AGAIN, Trainer C. Ramdin has been advised to take remedial measures with the horse.
- 4. GRAND FINALE (M. Sonaram) was hanging in, in the straight.
- 5. Jockey K. Ramsamy reported that PROFICIENT did not stride out freely in the running. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

Racecard Changes

1. Jockey K. RAMSAMY (PROFICIENT) carried 0.5kg over the carded weight and weighed out at 60.5kg.

Scratching

1. None.



Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. PROFICIENT - Lame off fore

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	LOVE ME AGAIN	C. Ramdin	R. Joorawon	-
2 ND	GRAND FINALE	S. Jones	M. Sonaram	0.10
3 RD	PROFICIENT	P. Nagadoo	K. Ramsamy	5.70
4 TH	HIGH VOLTAGE	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	8.50
5 TH	CHIEF RAFEEF	S. Hurchund	N. Marday	8.90
TIME OF RACE:		1.24.35s		

Race 2 - 12:50 - The Ernest Florent Bel Air Volunteer Cup - [0 - 25] - 990m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12h50.45

Starting Reports

- 1. PROTECTIVE LIGHT (K. Bhageeruthy) dwelt in its stall, losing considerable ground.
- 2. GREAT STOHVANEN (J. Bardottier) was awkward in the jump.

Stewards Reports

- 1. In view of the Starting Report, the starting stall certificate for PROTECTIVE LIGHT (K. Bhageeruthy) has been withdrawn. This gelding has been suspended by the Stewards for seven days after which, it will be required to complete a jump out in a barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards.
- 2. After a slow beginning, PROTECTIVE LIGHT (K. Bhageeruthy) trailed the field.
- 3. CARINO BELLO (R. Joorawon) was outpaced in the running.
- 4. BRAVE SIOUX (M. Sonaram) travelled wide for a brief distance leaving the 800m and until 450m.
- 5. Jockey R. Joorawon reported that CARINO BELLO did not stride out freely in the running. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
- 6. Jockey R. Joorawon (CARINO BELLO) reported hitting his left knee onto the gate. He was referred to the Course Medical Officer who stood him down.

Racecard Changes

1. None.



Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. GREAT STOHVANEN - Lame near fore

2. BRAVE SIOUX - No abnormalities detected

3. CARINO BELLO - No abnormalities detected

4. YOHO MIST - Lost off fore shoe

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	GREAT STOHVANEN	P. Nagadoo	J. Bardottier	-
2 ND	YOHO MIST	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	0.85
3 RD	BRAVE SIOUX	S. Jones	M. Sonaram	1.95
4 TH	CARINO BELLO	Y. Perdrau	R. Joorawon	Detached
5 TH	PROTECTIVE LIGHT	P. Nagadoo	K. Bhageeruthy	Detached
TIME OF RACE:		56.95s		

Race 3 - 13:25 - The Camp Thorel Volunteers Association Cup - Benchmark 31 - 1450m (4 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13h25.23

Starting Reports

- 1. CHARLIE SQUADRON (B. Sooful) was restless in the stalls.
- 2. TIMETOSAYGOODBYE (K. Ramsamy) hesitated and was awkward while jumping.

Stewards Reports

- 1. TIMETOSAYGOODBYE (K. Ramsamy) ran unsettled, was wide in the early and middle stages of the race and weakened from the 600m.
- 2. PUGET SOUND (M. Sonaram) overraced in the early stages.
- 3. Jockey K. Ramsamy reported that TIMETOSAYGOODBYE did not stride out freely in the running. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

Racecard Changes

- 1. Jockey K. Ramsamy (TIMETOSAYGOODBYE) carried 1kg over the carded weight and weighed out at 60.5kg.
- 2. Jockey R. Joorawon was replaced by Jockey M. Sonaram on PUGET SOUND.



Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. TIMETOSAYGOODBYE - No abnormalities detected

2. CHARLIE SQUADRON - Bled both nostrils, 30 days suspension confirmed

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	CHARLIE SQUADRON	S. Mahadia	B. Sooful	-
2 ND	PUGET SOUND	D. Zaki	M. Sonaram	3.85
3 RD	OVERDOSE	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	6.10
4 TH	TIMETOSAYGOODBYE	S. Jones	K.Ramsamy	Detached
TIME OF RACE:		1.30.28s		

Race 4 - 14:00 - The Bénarès Rivière Des Anguilles Association Cup - Benchmark 36 - 1500m (4 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14h00.47

Starting Reports

- 1. SERGEI (M. Sonaram) was restless in the stalls.
- 2. LIVERPOOL CHAMP (B. Ecroignard) jumped sideways and brushed the gates.

Stewards Reports

- 1. SERGEI (M. Sonaram) was keen in the running in the early part of the race.
- 2. Near the 500m, SERGEI (M. Sonaram) had a tendency to hang out and carried BOLLINGER (N. Marday) wider. Thereafter, BOLLINGER (N. Marday) had a tendency to hang out and was wide from the 300m.
- 3. The whip of Jockey M. Sonaram (SERGEI) was briefly entangled with his reins at the top of the straight.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. THE EIGHTH LORD (K. Ramsamy) was scratched at 13h54. All monies invested on THE EIGHTH LORD were ordered to be refunded. Fixed odds winning bets were not deducted.



Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. THE EIGHTH LORD - Scratched, Lame off fore

2. BOLLINGER - Not striding out

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	GIGGIN	S. Mahadia	B. Bhaugeerothee	-
2 ND	LIVERPOOL CHAMP	S. Mahadia	B. Ecroignard	3.95
3 RD	SERGEI	C. Ramdin	M. Sonaram	4.85
4 TH	BOLLINGER	P. Nagadoo	N. Marday	5.25
TIME OF RACE:		1.33.33s		

Race 5 - 14:35 - The Nooresh Juglall Memorial Cup - Benchmark 56 - 1500m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14h39.35

General

1. Prior to the commencement of this race, the instructions for all riders were taken by the Stipendiary Stewards. In this regard, each of the instructions matched the racing pattern of the horses except for STAGEWORLD (K. Bhageeruthy) where Trainer D. Zaki advised that Jockey K. Bhageeruthy will not insist for the lead and MASTER OF ILLUSION (N. Marday) where Assistant Trainer U. Nagadoo advised the Stipendiary Stewards that the horse will be ridden from the rear. These changes of tactics were disseminated to the public.

Starting Reports

1. TRANSONIC (B. Ecroignard) and CHOSEN WAY (R. Boutanive) brushed leaving the stalls.

Stewards Reports

- 1. The whip of Jockey R. Boutanive (CHOSEN WAY) was briefly entangled with his rein at the top of the straight.
- 2. CHOSEN WAY (R. Boutanive) shifted away from the whip in the straight.
- 3. Jockey R. Boutanive (CHOSEN WAY) appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised against the practice of using his whip on consecutive strides in the running. Jockey R. Boutanive was issued with a warning.
- 4. Jockey J. Bardottier (TRIPPI'S EXPRESS) appeared before the Board in relation to his riding of TRIPPI'S EXPRESS from the 1000m to the 600m where it was observed that the



gap had increased between him and the leaders. Jockey J. Bardottier explained that he was of the view that his mount could not move faster despite him trying. The Stipendiary Stewards noted the explanation of Jockey J Bardottier.

5. Relying on a report from the Veterinary Surgeon that TRIPPI'S EXPRESS was severely distressed after the race and posed a danger in races, TRIPPI'S EXPRESS has been accordingly, banned from racing. Trainer S. Hurchund appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards and was informed of the decision.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. TRIPPI'S EXPRESS - Distressed severely, suspended for life

2. MASTER OF ILLUSION - Not striding out

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	STAGEWORLD	D. Zaki	K. Bhageeruthy	-
2 ND	TRANSONIC	S. Mahadia	B. Ecroignard	0.05
3 RD	TRIPPI'S EXPRESS	S. Hurchund	J. Bardottier	9.05
4 TH	CHOSEN WAY	S. Mahadia	R. Boutanive	9.30
5 TH	MASTER OF ILLUSION	P. Nagadoo	N. Marday	Detached
TIME OF RACE:		1.30.96s		

Race 6 - 15:10 - The Jocelyn Lee Shim Memorial Cup - 50 + - 1365m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	15h15.23

General

1. Prior to the commencement of this race, the instructions for all riders were taken by the Stipendiary Stewards. In this regard, each of the instructions matched the racing pattern of the horses.

Starting Reports

1. BLACKBURN ROC (R. Boutanive) brushed the gates.



Stewards Reports

- 1. COLOUR MY FATE (S. Rama) overraced in the early stages.
- 2. Near 1100m, COLOUR MY FATE (S. Rama) was eased off the heels of BETATHANTHEREST (B. Sooful).
- 3. Jockey M. Sonaram (PRINCE ALF) reported that the horse was keen in the running.
- 4. Jockey R. Boutanive signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 29.2.5 in that he struck the horse BLACKBURN ROC with his whip more than once on consecutive strides in the running. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 2000 was imposed.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

EMBLEM OF HOPE - Not striding out
 BLACKBURN ROC - Not striding out

3. COLOUR MY FATE - No abnormalities detacted

4. BETATHANTHEREST - Cut into off hind, lame off hind

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	BETATHANTHEREST	S. Mahadia	B. Sooful	-
2 ND	BLACKBURN ROC	S. Mahadia	R. Boutanive	0.70
3 RD	PRINCE ALF	D. Zaki	M. Sonaram	0.90
4 TH	COLOUR MY FATE	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	7.40
5 TH	EMBLEM OF HOPE	S. Hurchund	J. Bardottier	Detached
	TIME OF RACE:	1.22.95s		

Race 7 - 15:45 - «La Journée Internationale De La Diversité Biologique» Cup - Benchmark 36 - 1365m (4 runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	15h47.48

General

1. Prior to the commencement of this race, the instructions for all riders were taken by the Stipendiary Stewards. In this regard, each of the instructions matched the racing pattern of



the horses except for NINOTTO where Assistant Trainer U. Nagadoo advised the Board that Apprentice P. Mohun will ride the horse with the intention to lead. This change of tactic was disseminated to the public.

2. On a request from Trainer A. Sewdyal, MASTER KEEKU (S. Rama) was permitted to leave the paddock with earplugs which were removed before the start.

Starting Reports

1. NINOTTO (P. Mohun) began awkwardly.

Stewards Reports

1. MASTER KEEKU (S. Rama) was hanging in, in the straight.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. MASTER KEEKU - Distressed after the race

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE	
1 ST	MASTER KEEKU	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	-	
2 ND	CAPTAIN PERSIA	Y. Perdrau	M. Sonaram	2.50	
3 RD	KALGOORLIE	S. Mahadia	B. Bhaugeerothee	2.60	
4 TH	NINOTTO	P. Nagadoo	P. Mohun	Detached	
	TIME OF RACE: 1.22.95s				

Race 8 - 16:30 -La Journée Internationale De La Lumière» Cup - Benchmark 41 - 1365m (5 runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	16h30.33

Starting Reports

- 1. FORGED BY FIRE (M. Sonaram) refused to jump out and lost considerable ground.
- 2. SWAGGER JAGGER (B. Bhaugeerothee) and CLOUD SEEDER (S. Rama) began awkwardly.



Stewards Reports

- 1. In view of the Starting Report, the starting stall certificate for FORGED BY FIRE (M. Sonaram) has been withdrawn. This gelding has been suspended by the Stewards for seven days after which, it will be required to complete a jump out in a barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards.
- 2. After a slow start, FORGED BY FIRE (M. Sonaram) was non-competitive thereafter.
- 3. ACTION PACKED (K. Ramsamy) was wide in the early stages due to a wide draw and then from 600m to 300m and then began to give ground to the field.
- 4. SWAGGER JAGGER (B. Bhaugeerothee) was keen in the running in the early stages.
- 5. Jockey S. Rama (CLOUD SEEDER) appeared before the Board in relation to his riding in the early and middle stages of the race and he was queried whether he considered the option of letting his horse race more freely and try to take the lead considering that the pace was moderate. He explained that ONE DAY OR DAY ONE (J. Bardottier) jumped faster and travelled better than his mount and in those circumstances, he was happy where he was. The explanation was noted by the Stipendiary Stewards.

Racecard Changes

1. Jockey J. Bardottier (ONE DAY OR DAY ONE) carried 0.5kg over the carded weight and weighed out at 61kg.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. ACTION PACKED

- No abnormalities detected

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE	
1 ST	ONE DAY OR DAY ONE	P. Nagadoo	J. Bardottier	-	
2 ND	SWAGGER JAGGER	S. Mahadia	B. Bhaugeerothee	2.05	
3 RD	CLOUD SEEDER	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	6.50	
4 TH	ACTION PACKED	Y. Perdrau	K. Ramsamy	Detached	
5 TH	FORGED BY FIRE	S. Jones	M. Sonaram	Detached	
	TIME OF RACE: 1.24.44s				



Other comments/Explanations:

- 1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters and all returned negative.
- 2. In all races, the riders were weighed in.
- 3. All the winners were selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
- 4. All riders were breathalyzed and cleared to race.
- 5. Jockeys M. Sonaram, N. Marday, J. Bardottier, K. Bhageeruthy and B. Ecroignard were selected to provide a urine sample.



RACEDAY SUMMARY

	RACE	NAME		RULE
Horse Suspensions:	2	PROTECTIVE LIGHT	Starting stall certificate withdrawn - 7 days suspension and barrier trial	
	3	CHARLIE SQUADRON	30 days suspension, bled both nostrils	
	5	TRIPPI'S EXPRESS	Distressed severely, suspended for life	
	8	FORGED BY FIRE	Starting stall certificate withdrawn - 7 days suspension and barrier trial	
Rider Suspensions:				
Fines:	6	R. Boutanive (BLACKBURN ROC)	Rs 2,000 – Using his whip on consecutive strides	
Reprimands:	5	R. Boutanive (CHOSEN WAY)	Using whip on consecutive strides	
Change of Tactics:	1	PROFICIENT	Will bounce to lead and be handy with pace	
	1	HIGH VOLTAGE	Will be ridden with the intention to lead of jump we	
	5	STAGEWORLD	Will not insist for the lead	
	5	MASTER OF ILLUSION	Will be ridden from the rear	
	7	NINOTTO	Will be riden with the intention to lead	
Riders To produce Medical Certificate		R. Joorawon		



prior to riding again:				
Inquiries				



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Race Meeting 2, 11 May 2024 - Race 8 - The Queen Victoria Soodye Association Petanque Club Jockey J. Bardottier (THE JAZZ SINGER) was interviewed in relation to his riding in the straight. The Jockey advised that his horse was hanging in, in the straight and he had to balance his horse and ride.

Jockey J. Bardottier has been asked to ride his horses in a manner that does not leave any room for query and a reprimand has been issued to him.